

BALLOON DRESSES, BROWN, RED, GREEN

Latest London Wrinkles for
Daring Women Aero-
nauts.

Material of Costume Is
"Gabardine, Slimber,
or Lodan."

Skirt Made Adjustable With
a System of Pul-
leys.

LONDON, April 27.—Ballooning, which became a fashionable sport last year, will be still more popular this summer. Women are expected to go in for ballooning in increasing numbers, following the example of Mrs. Harbord and Mrs. Nichol, the pioneer women aeronauts.

To meet the probable demand, a special ballooning dress has been designed. Here is a description of the first fashion in ballooning outfits for women, given by a West End ladies' tailor:

"The most practical dress for a lady balloonist should really be made of gabardine, slimber, or, for the coldest weather, lodan, which is a particularly thick yet light woven cloth, worn by the Alpine guides.

Adjustable Skirt.

"The fashionable color is a green with a slight ruddy tinge. The coat is worn short and lined with fleece or silk, with two breast pockets, two cross pockets, and two hand-rests for the purpose of keeping the hands warm.

"The skirt is an adjustable one, which means that it can be drawn up by invisible cords, which by forming a pleat half way down, enables the wearer to get in and out of the car with great facility, while it can be let down when traveling to keep the feet warm.

"Over the coat comes a 'slip-on' water-proof lined with either fleece, silk, fur, or wool. A tailor-made skirt of opal crepe should be worn beneath, with a broad belt of the same material as the coat and skirt.

Opal Cap and Veil.

"We are introducing a special ballooning cap made of a fine opal crepe in the very palest shade of green, which is not damaged by the rain. It is in the jelly-bag shape, the end being fastened down on the right side by a quill. An opal silk veil, which is woven in colored silks, should also be worn with the costume, shading from the green of the ballooning cap to the ruddy shade in the coat and skirt. Canadian mittens are made of the same material as the coat and skirt.

"To make the costume complete the lady balloonist should wear dark brown boots, or, if she wishes to be particularly smart, she could have the leather dyed exactly the same shade as the coat and skirt.

MIKADO'S COUSIN IN FRANCE INCOG.

PARIS, April 27.—After sending her prince to Germany for their military training, Japan has at last come to the conclusion that also in France something may be learned.

Prince Nashimoto, cousin of the Mikado, who as a major fought with great distinction in the Russo-Japanese war, has taken up permanent residence in the city of Rouen and will spend some time in the Thirty-ninth Infantry.

The prince, who speaks French quite well, the other day was at Cafe Riche. He is a very polished and entertaining man of about thirty. He spoke with great enthusiasm of the Japanese soldier as he had seen him during the siege of Port Arthur. He admitted, however, that the Russians are probably even better soldiers, in as far as no amount of adversity will affect them, but said that they were poorly led.

The prince is living at Rouen, under the name of Count Tada, and occupies a very unpretentious flat together with his adjutant, Colonel Audo, and his secretary, M. Oussol.

He is a born soldier and is already very popular among his brother officers.

TO REPEAT WEBB'S SWIMMING FEAT

PARIS, April 27.—A most determined effort is to be made to see if Captain Webb's famous feat of crossing the Channel by swimming is humanly possible to repeat. The Auto has announced that it will select three of the best French swimmers, who will make an attempt by relaying each other. It is to be arranged thus: The best French swimmer is to take to the water first, and the others are to accompany him by boat. When his strength is spent he will be succeeded by another, and should the second not succeed, he will be followed by a third who will try to finish the journey, but on no account will a swimmer who has left the water be allowed to continue in the attempt. It is hoped to settle the question as to whether the terrible currents which since Captain Webb's time have always thwarted even such good swimmers as Holbein and Burgess can be overcome by men who are fresh and unfatigued. The Auto has suggested that a match against three swimmers of another nation would make this sporting event of no small importance.

FROGS SUCCEED MONKEYS AS ENGLISH WOMEN'S PETS

LONDON, April 27.—Frogs have succeeded monkeys as the reigning pets of the fools who delight in calling themselves society ladies. Not common frogs, of course, but rare exotic varieties, like the Amazon river frog, which now costs \$100 or more apiece. Snakes are still popular as pets and ornaments, for they are kept in both these capacities. Mrs. Arthur Cadogan is the leading snake fancier. She has got pythons and sometimes wears small snakes as bracelets.

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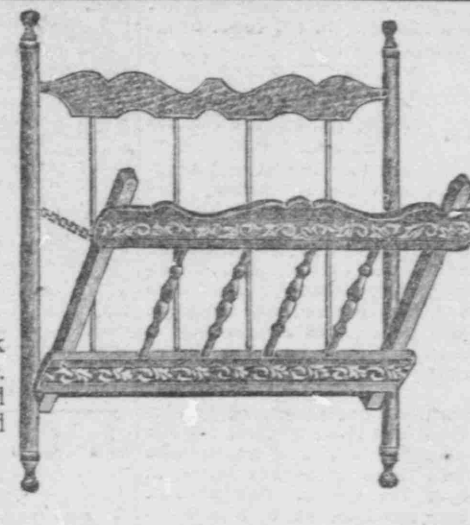
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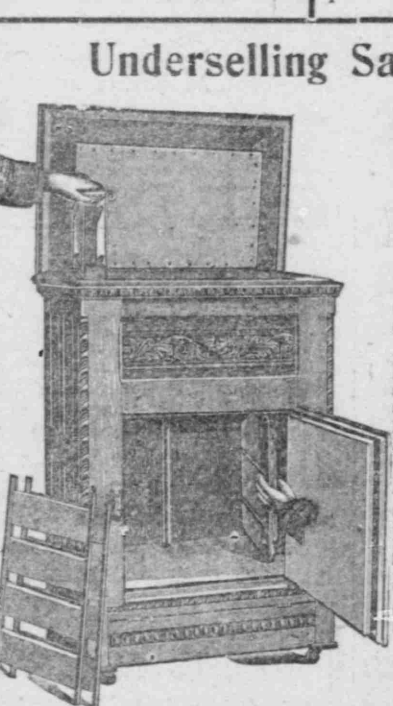
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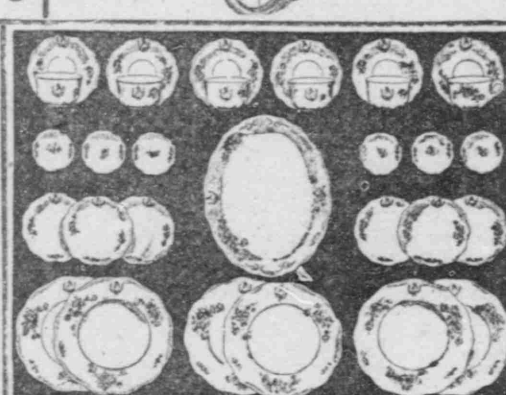


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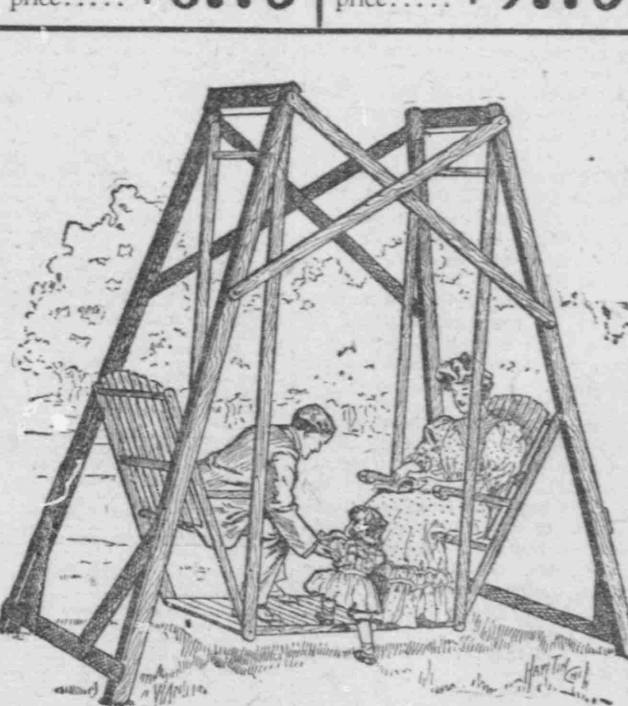
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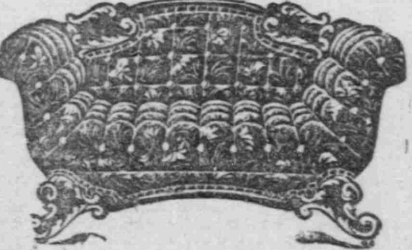


A 3-Piece Mission Suite, \$10.75



This handsome 3-piece Mission Suite consists of Divan, Arm Chair, and Rocker; all substantially built on Mission lines and finished in Mahogany green. The table can be had separately for \$2.50. The three pieces, worth \$17.50, are offered at this special underselling price..... \$10.75

\$24 Davenport, \$14.95

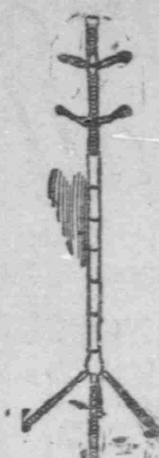


Fine Davenport, like cut, can be converted into a full-length single bed; solid oak carved frame; upholstered in French cut verona; tufted back and seat; worth \$24. Special bargain price..... \$14.95

\$45 Parlor Suite for \$29.75



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75c Costumer 25c

This Solid Oak Costumer, neatly turned standard; six 1 1/2" prongs; well braced legs; worth 75c. Special bargain price..... 25c



\$16.50 Ward- robe For \$9.75

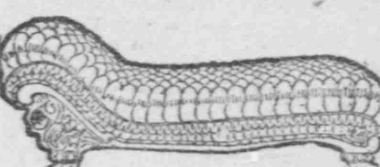
Fine Oak Finish Wardrobe, carved top and double doors, without the two drawers; \$16.50 value. Special bargain price..... \$9.75. The same wardrobe with two drawers for..... \$10.75



\$1 Cane Seat Chair, 59c

Solid Oak Dining or Bed Room Chair; hand-carved seat—well braced. Worth \$1. Special bargain price..... 59c

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